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**LETTER RE PROPOSED DRAWING AMENDMENTS**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents,  
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

Enclosed herewith is a photocopy of Figs. 1 and 2 marked in red to indicate proposed drawing amendments thereto.

Respectfully submitted,

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**SUBMISSION OF SUBSTITUTE FORMAL DRAWINGS**

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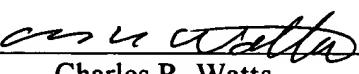
Sir:

11 sheets of formal (A4P) drawings (Figs. 1-11) are submitted herewith, and incorporate the proposed changes to Figs. 1 and 2 submitted herewith.

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Fig. 1

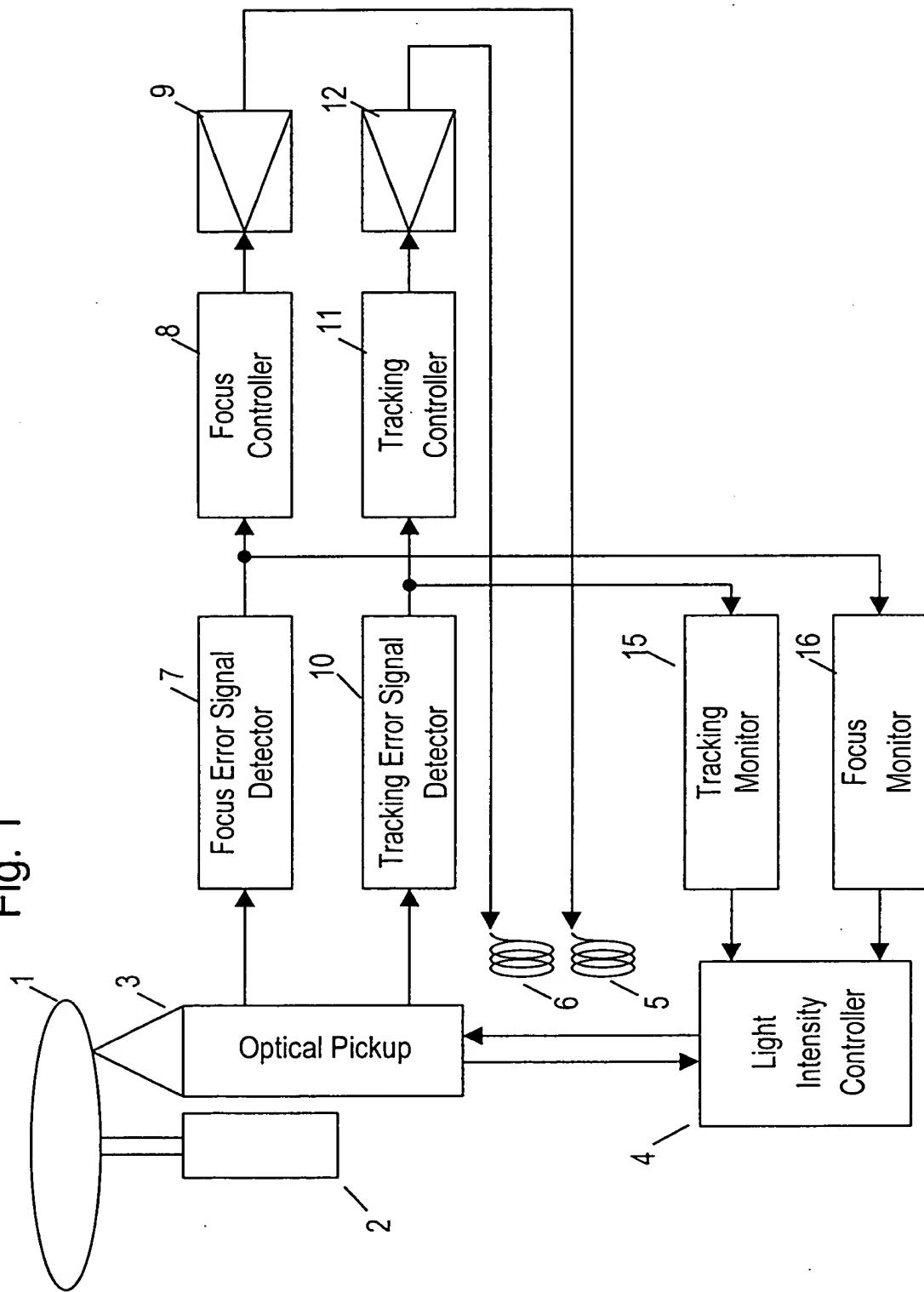


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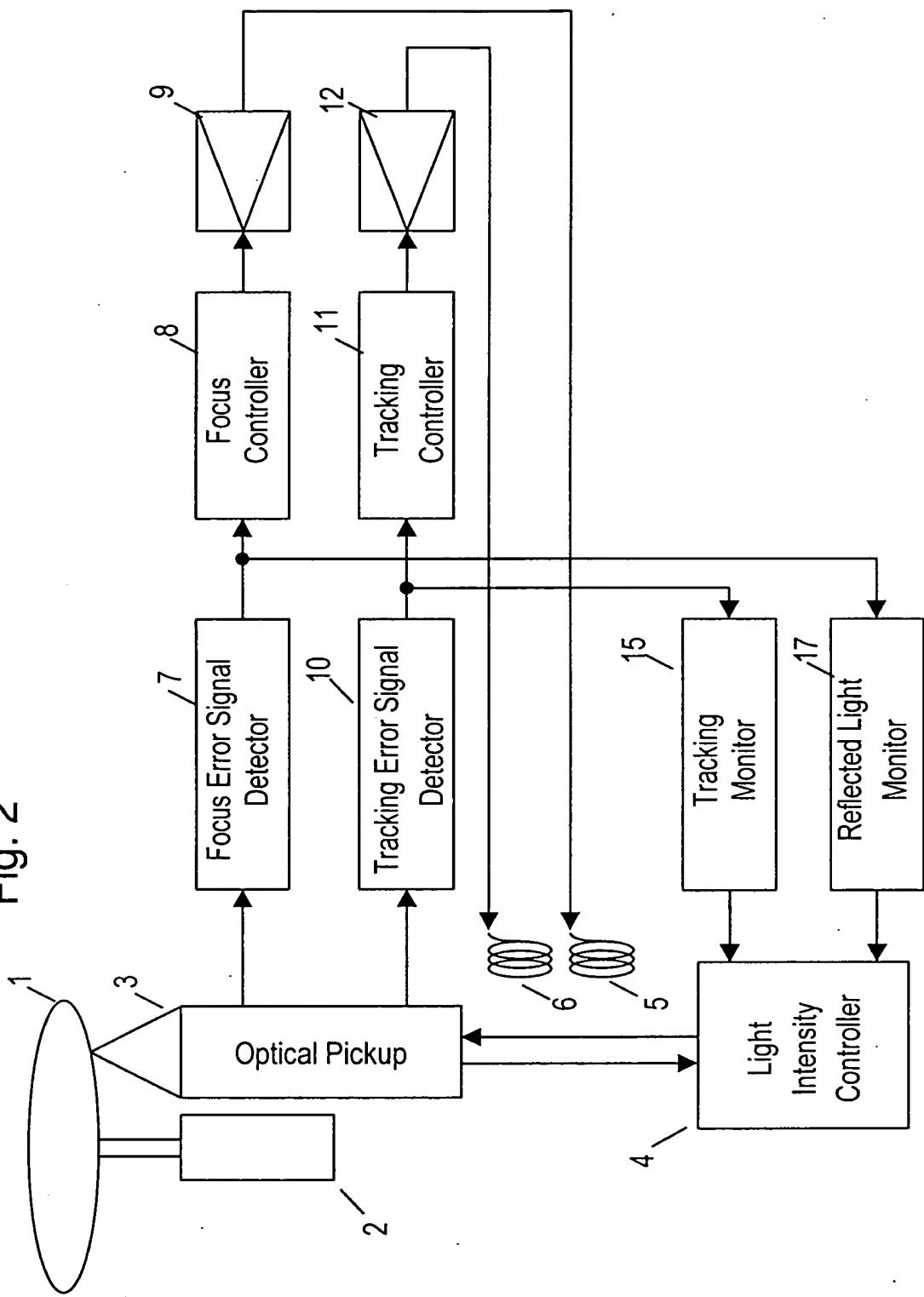
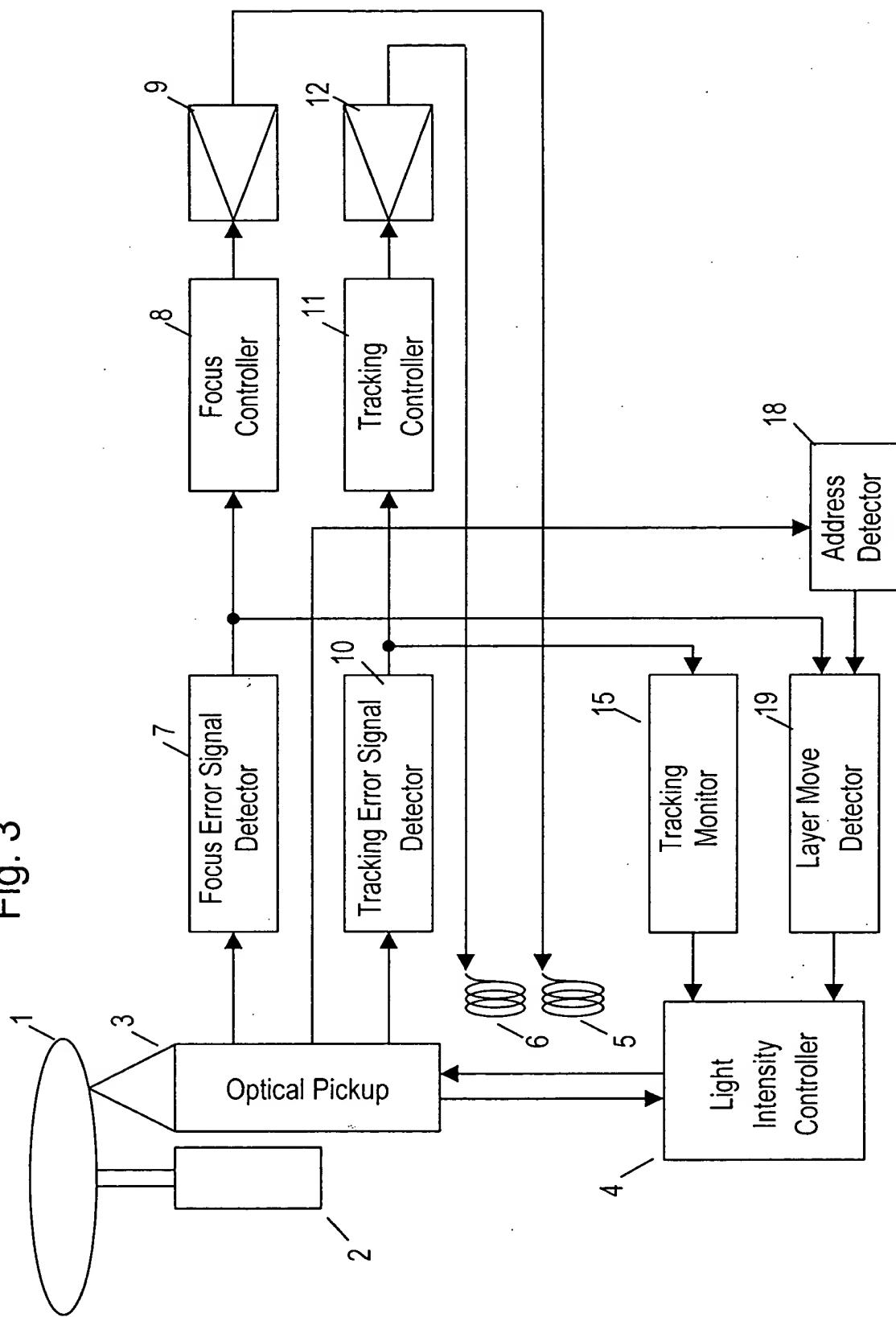


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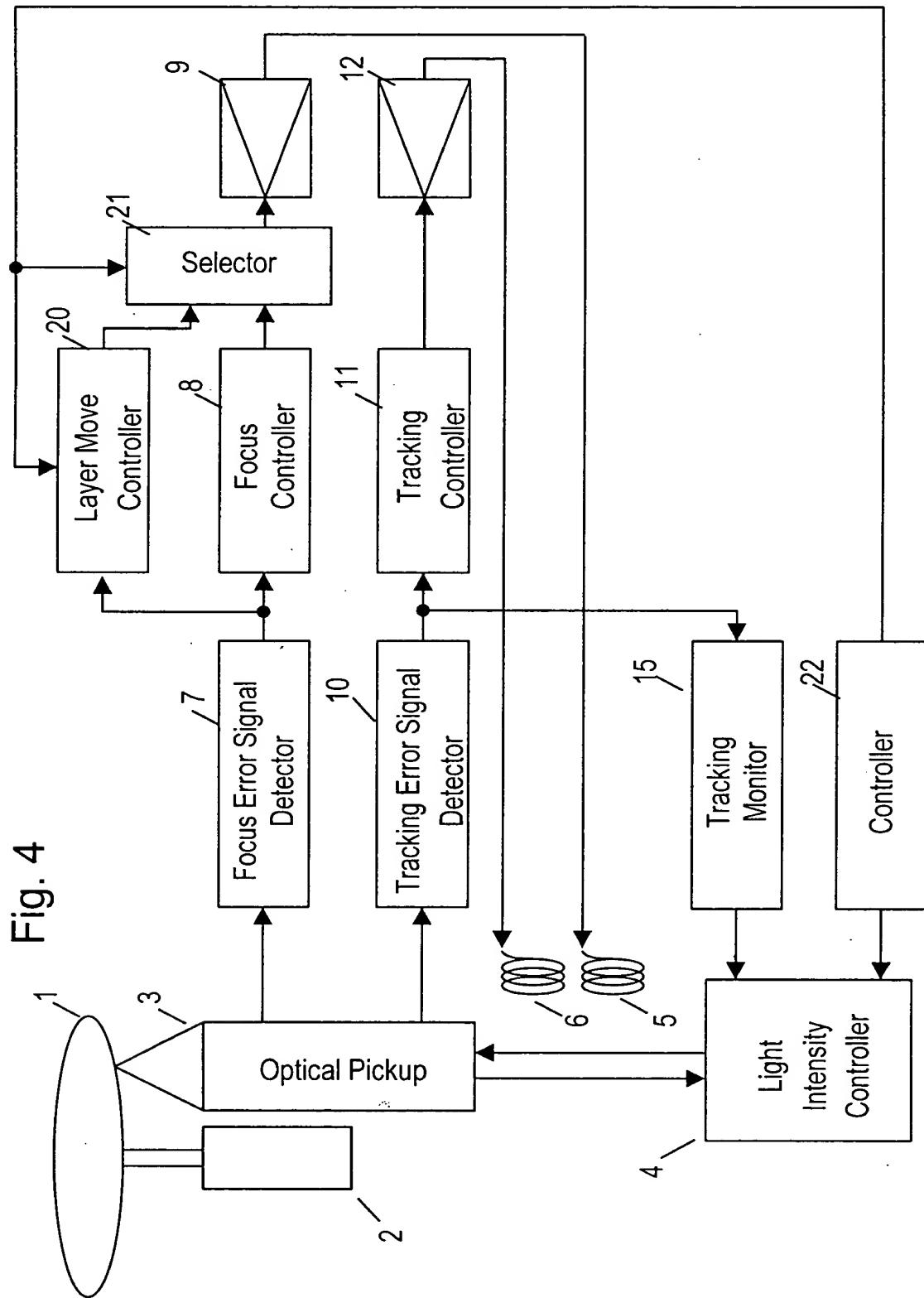


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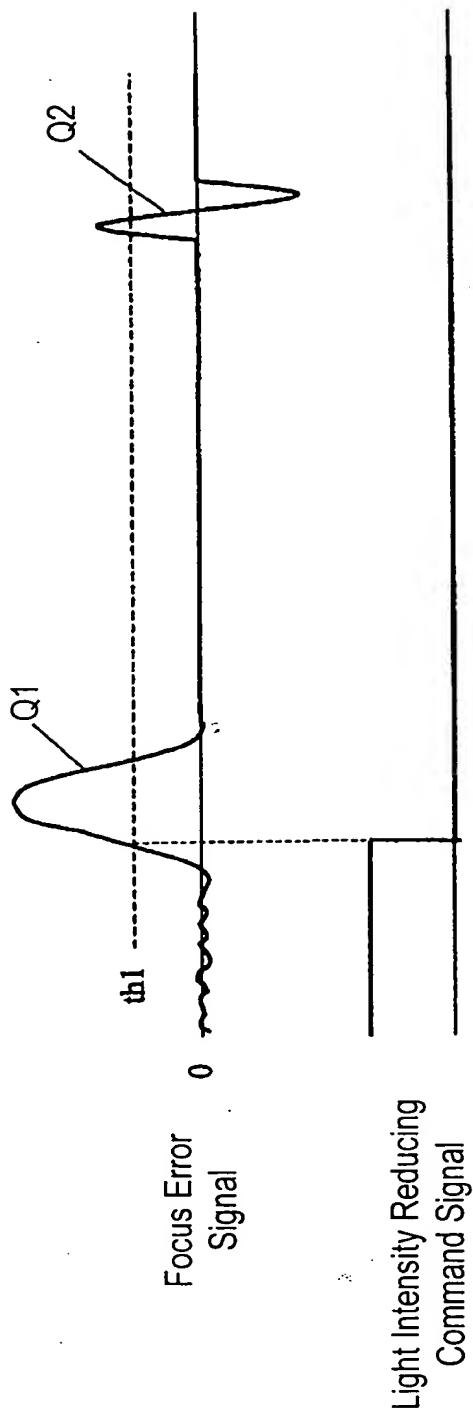


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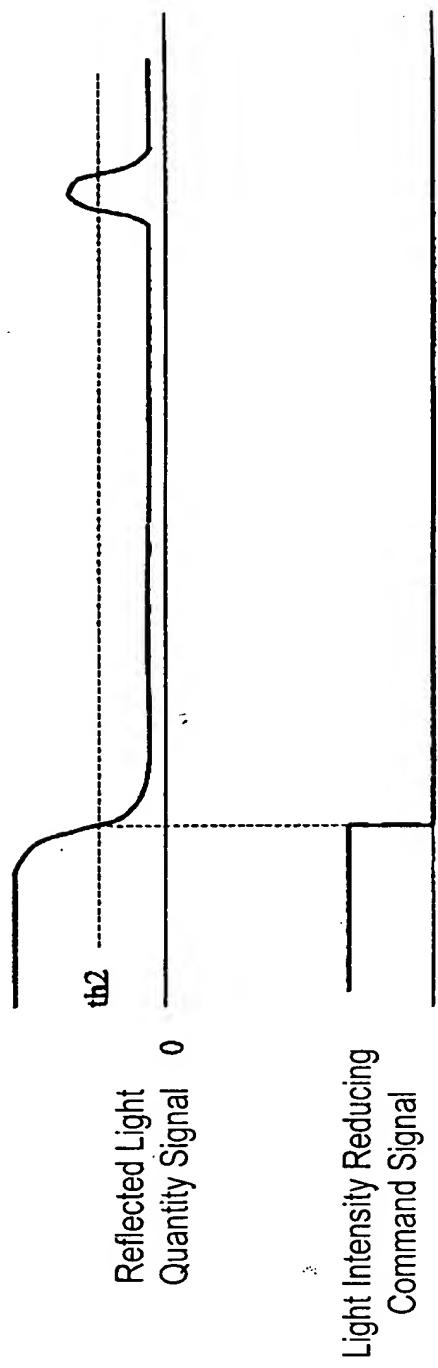
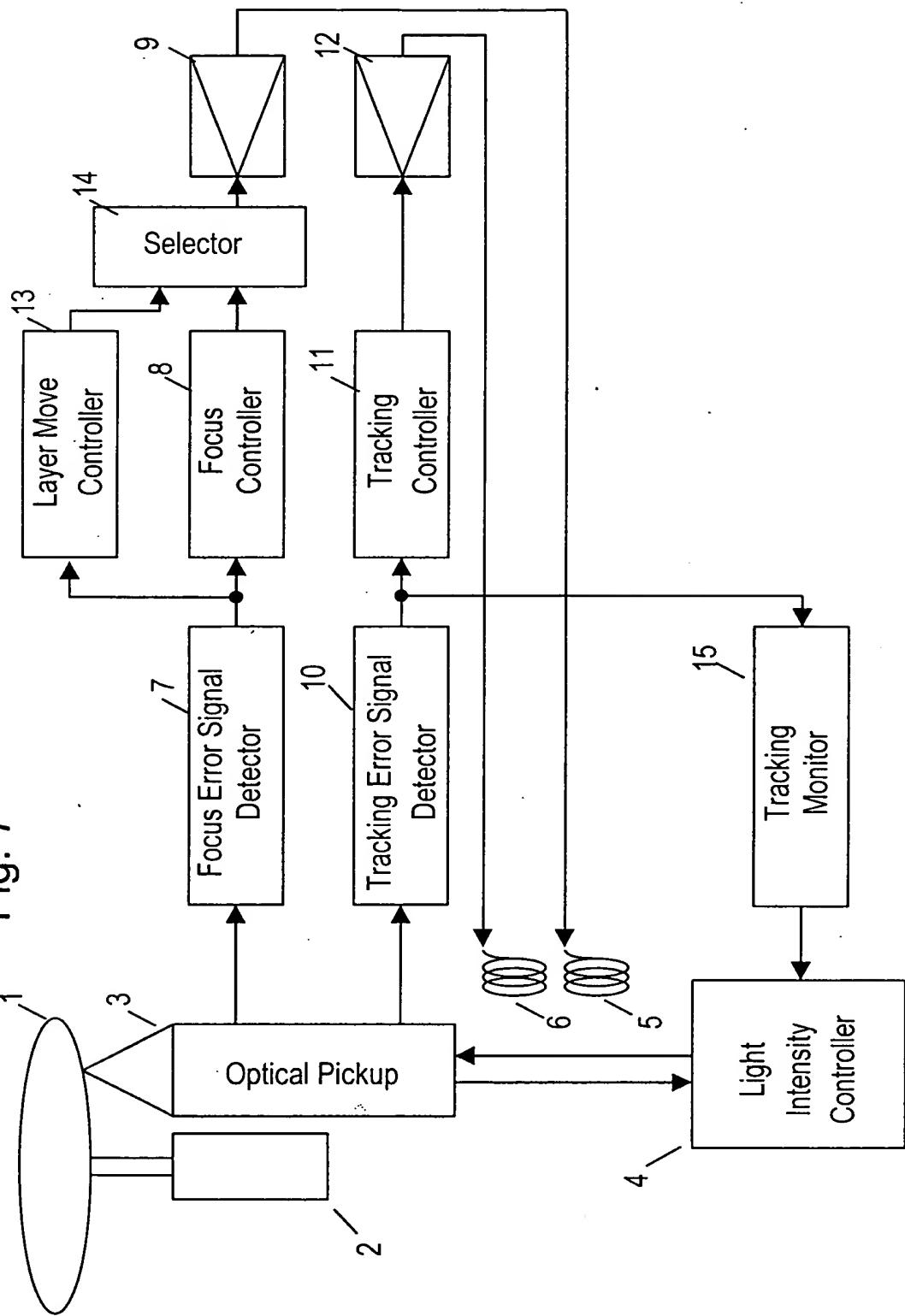


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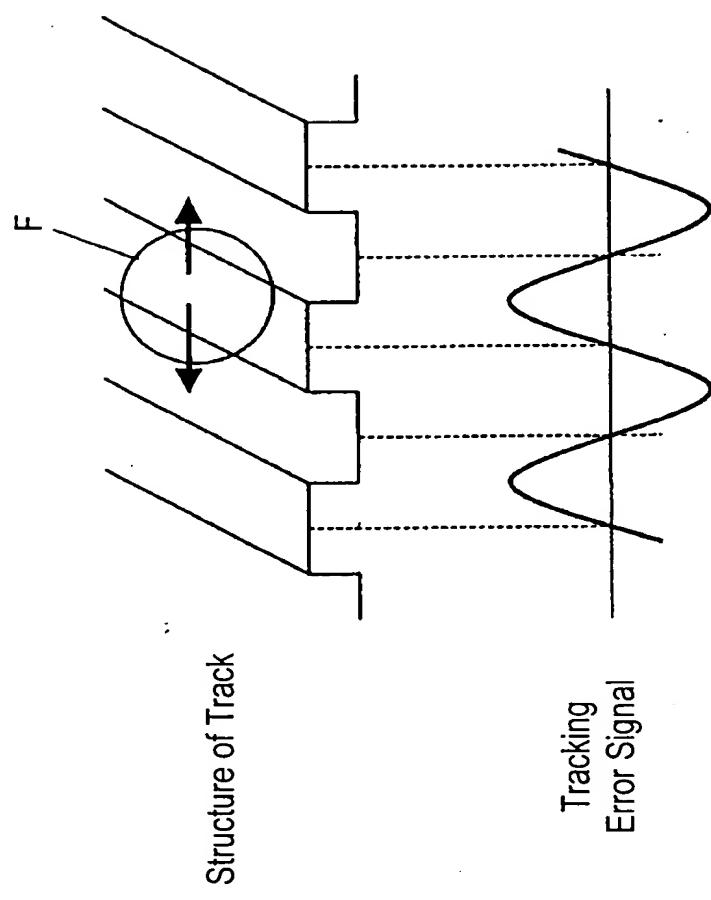
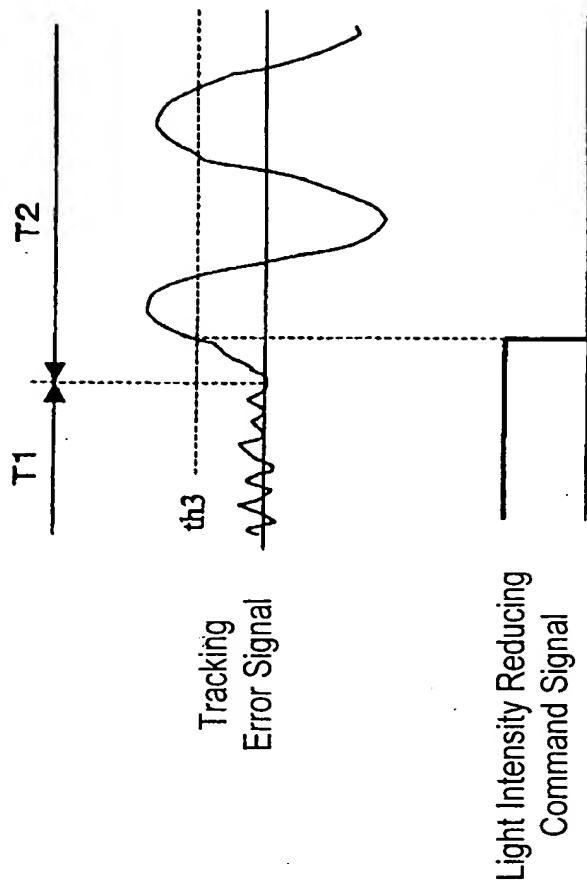


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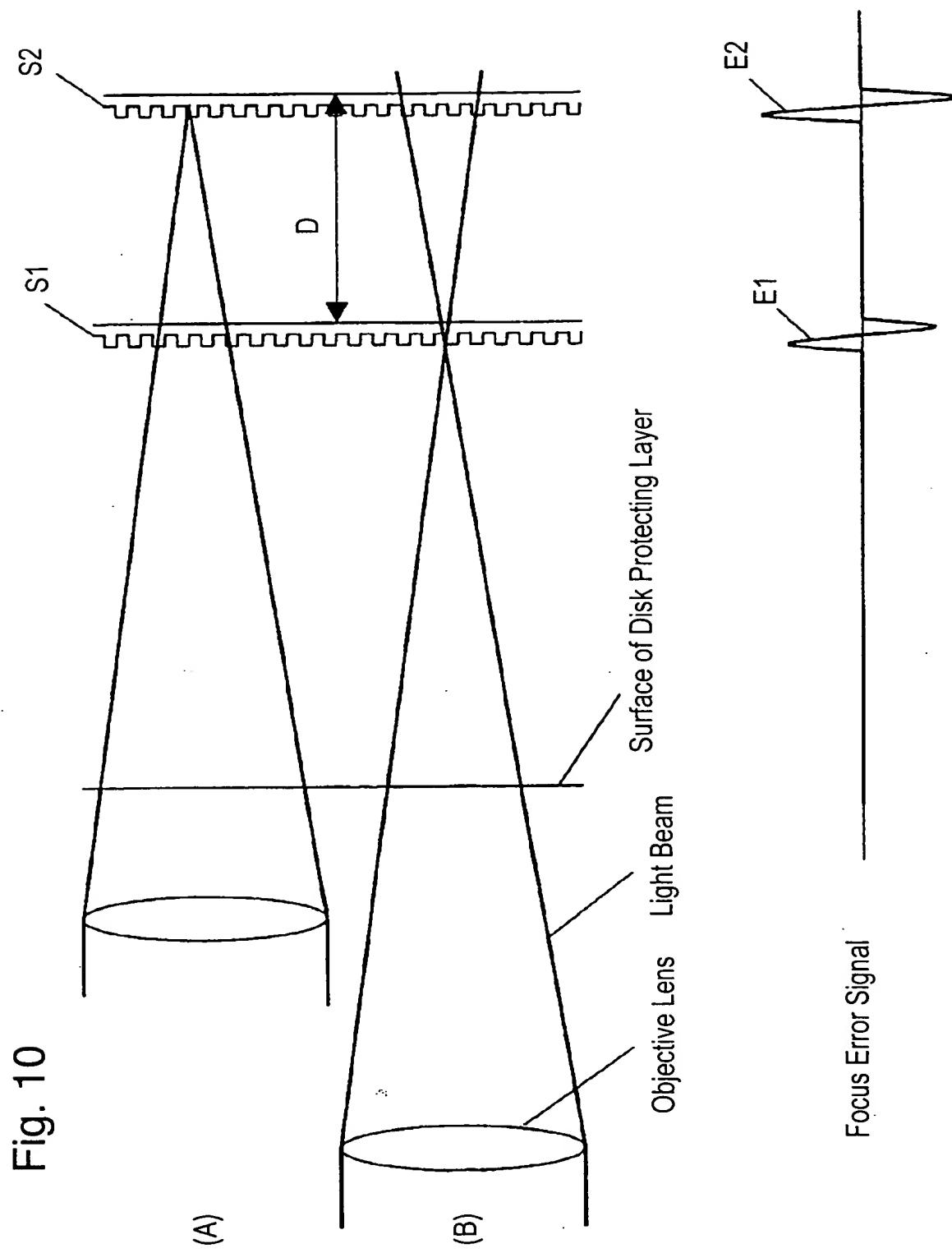


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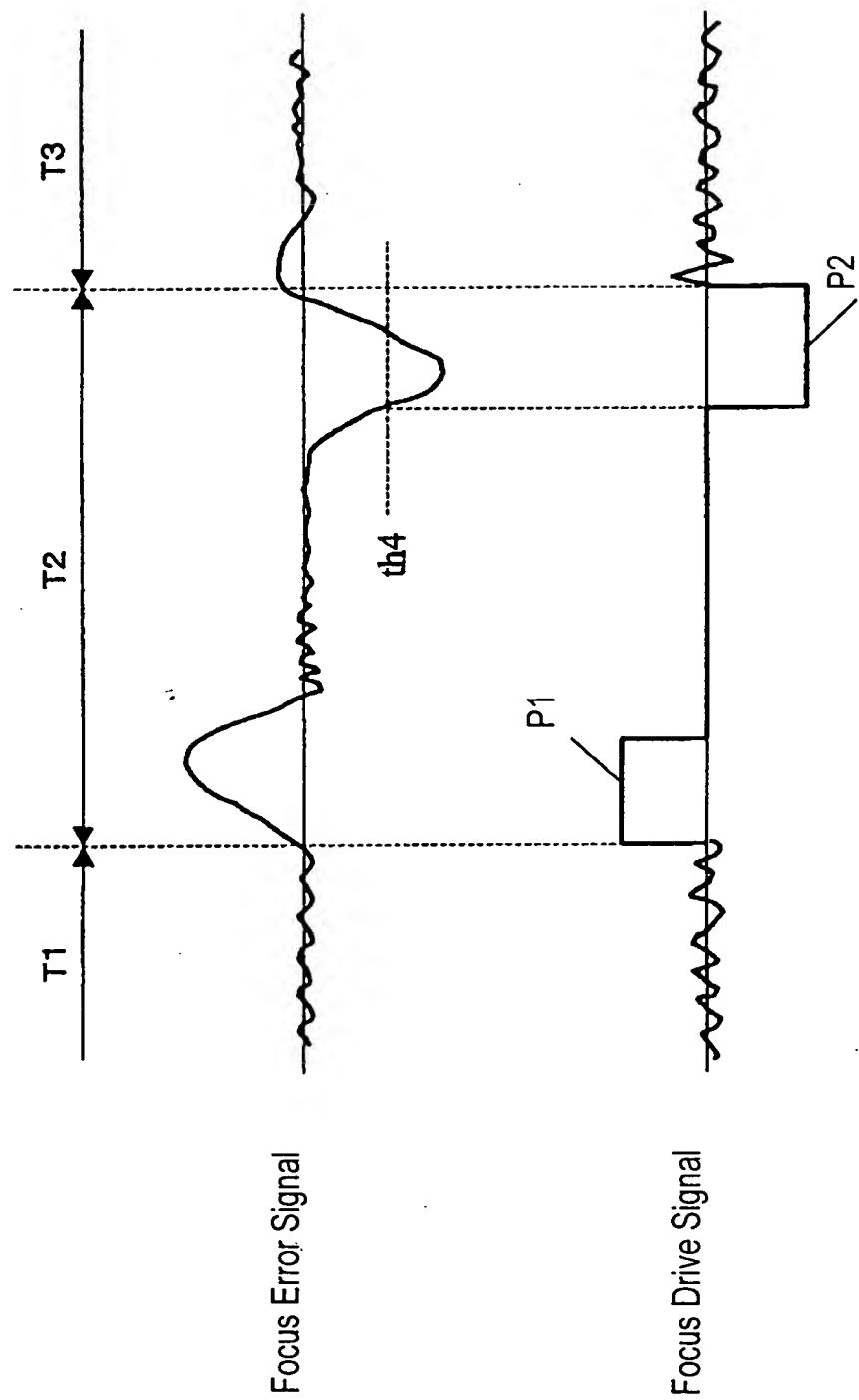


Fig. 11